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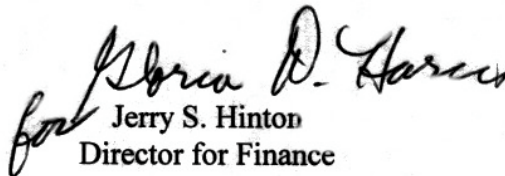
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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, MILITARY PAY OPERATIONS, DEFENSE  
FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE (PM/CL)

SUBJECT: Interim Change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A, Regarding Hardship Duty Pay for  
Bulgaria, Egypt, Saudi Arabia, Turkey (DFAS Item M-40)

Attached is Interim Change 34-03 to Chapter 17 of the Department of Defense Financial Management Regulation (DoDFMR), Volume 7A. This change updates Hardship Duty Pay (HDP) for specific locations within Bulgaria, Egypt, Saudi Arabia, and Turkey to \$100 per month effective August 5, 2003.

This is a routine change and the result of directed action that does not affect existing policies. A draft of this change was not provided for comment. Assignment of the interim change number is your authority to initiate a procedural modification to implement this change. Use the attached to initiate the formal change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A.

  
for Jerry S. Hinton  
Director for Finance

Attachment:  
As stated

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**HARDSHIP DUTY PAY FOR BULGARIA, EGYPT, SAUDI ARABIA, TURKEY**

1. Change Figure 17-1, Hardship Duty Location Pay for Designated Areas, as follows:

a. Insert a new designated location under the entry for **Bulgaria** that includes **Burgas** and has an effective date of **August 5, 2003**. Insert a rate of \$100 for this location.

b. Modify the entry for Egypt as follows:

(1) Insert a closing date of **August 4, 2003** in the current open entry.

(2) Insert a new designated location that includes **Cairo West Air Base** and has an effective date of **August 5, 2003**. Insert a rate of \$100 for this location.

(3) Insert a new designated location of **Other** and has an effective date of **August 5, 2003**. Insert a rate of \$50 for this location.

c. Open a new entry for **Saudi Arabia** with the following information:

(1) Insert a group of designated locations that include **Ar'ar Airport and Tabuk Air Base** and has an effective date of **August 5, 2003**. Insert a rate of \$100 for these locations.

(2) Insert a designated location of **Other** and has an effective date of **August 5, 2003**. Insert a rate of \$0 for this location.

d. Insert a new group of designated locations under the entry for **Turkey** that includes **Afyon; Batman; Corlu; Diyarbakir; Gaziantep; Iskendrun; Mardin; Mersin; Oguzeli; Sabiha Gokcen; Sanliurfa; Tasucu; Nusaybin; Konya; and Pirincli** and has an effective date of **August 5, 2003**. Insert a rate of \$100 for these locations.

2. Add the following citation to the bibliography for Figure 17-1:

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MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY (M&RA)  
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE (MR)  
DIRECTOR, DEFENSE FINANCE AND  
ACCOUNTING SERVICE

**SUBJECT:** Hardship Duty Pay-Location (HDP-L) – Bulgaria, Turkey, Egypt, Saudi Arabia

Effective immediately, the following locations are designated as hardship duty locations for HDP-L purposes at the monthly rate of \$100:

- Bulgaria: Burgas (Sofia remains at the monthly rate of \$100; other locations remain at the monthly rate of \$50);
- Turkey: Afyon; Batman; Corlu; Diyarbakir; Gaziantep; Iskendrun; Mardin; Mersin; Oguzeli; Sabiha Gokcen; Sanliurfa; Tasucu; Nusaybin; Konya; and Pirinlik (Eskisehir remains at the monthly rate of \$50; other locations remain at the monthly rate of \$0);
- Egypt: Cairo West Air Base (other locations remain at the monthly rate of \$50); and
- Saudi Arabia: Ar'ar Airport and Tabuk Air Base (other locations remain at the monthly rate of \$0).

  
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